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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 2, 2004, Applicant hereby elects the Group III, subgroup A (Claims 38 and 39), with traverse.

Applicant thanks Examiner Hofsass and Examiner Pham for the courtesy extended to Applicant's representative during a telephone call on July 13, 2004 to discuss the Restriction Requirement. Applicant traverses the Restriction Requirement pursuant to MPEP §803 and submits that a "serious burden" is not imposed on the Examiner in performing a search of the claimed subject matter.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this response or this application, he is respectfully invited to telephone the undersigning attorney.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500845.

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Respectfully submitted,

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